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In re application of

Dominque Yves Joel BURNOUF et al. Conf. 3024

Application No. 10/561,867

Group 1656

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Examiner A. Kim

PROTEIN CRYSTAL COMPRISING THE PROCESSIVITY CLAMP FACTOR OF DNA POLYMERASE AND A LIGAND, AND ITS USES

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 25, 2008

Sir:

The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time to respond to the Official Action of March 26, 2008 for one month to July 26, 2008.

Please charge the extension fee of \$120 to our credit card set forth in the attached Credit Card Payment Form.

A responsive paper is filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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